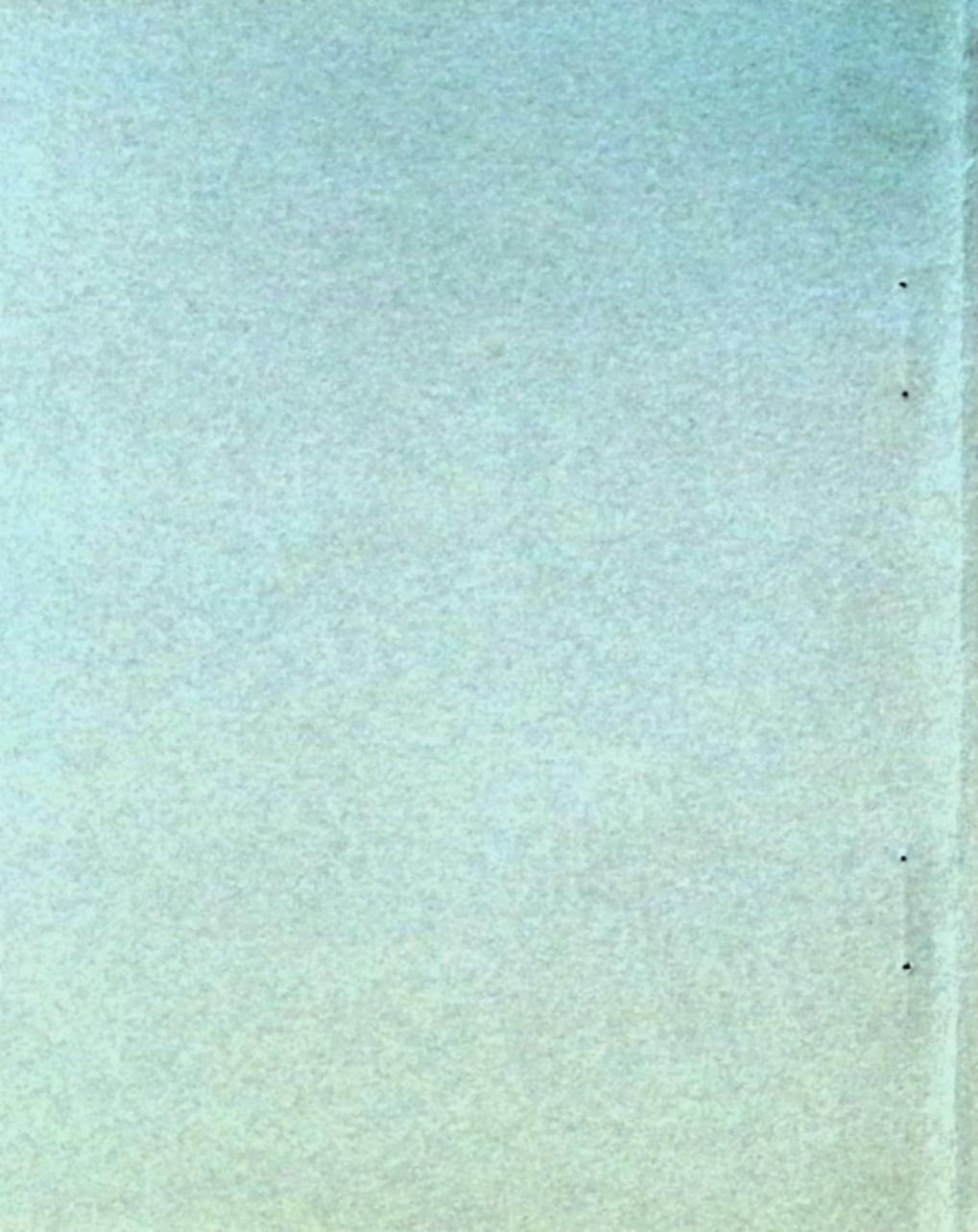




1955-56



Zelda Edmondson

BUTTE FALLS GARDEN CLUB

1955-1956

Siskiyou District  
Butte Falls, Oregon

Organized: May, 1950

Federated: June, 1950

Meeting Time: Third Tuesday,  
1:30 P. M.

## STATE OFFICERS

President: Miss Claire Hanley

Vice-President: Mrs. Milton Winters

Recording Secretary:

Mrs. Lawrence Luy

Corresponding Secretary:

Mrs. Otto Heckert

Treasurer: Mrs. Vernon Eilers

Program Chairman:

Mrs. Y. J. Goodwin

Siskiyou Director:

Mrs. A. O. Floyd

State Flower: Oregon Grape

State Bird: Meadow Lark

State Tree: Douglas Fir

## OREGON FEDERATION OF GARDEN CLUBS MOTTO

"Our state is just a garden,  
God gave it to you and I.  
Let's make its paths a  
thing of joy  
To travelers passing by!

## STANDING COMMITTEES

Program:	Mrs. Carson
Year Books:	All members
Membership:	Mrs. Edinondson
Publicity:	Mrs. Arnold
Civics:	Mrs. Ernest Smith
Hospitality:	Mrs. Leatherman
Horticulture:	Mrs. Dalton
Conservation:	Mrs. Dalton
Corsage:	Mrs. Elga Abbott
Birds:	Mrs. Stoddard
Show and Plant Sale:	All members

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## OFFICERS

### BUTTE FALLS GARDEN CLUB

President:	Mrs. James Arnold
Vice-Pres.:	Mrs. Mattie Carson
Secretary:	Mrs. Ralph Conard
Treasurer:	Mrs. Leatherman
Historian:	Mrs. Clay Conley
Chaplain:	Mrs. John Fuiten

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JULY 19, 1955

Picnic in the City Park,  
members and friends.

Invite Eagle Point Garden  
Club.

Short Business Meeting.

AUGUST 16, 1955

Subject: Birds

Speaker: Mrs. Stoddard

Hostess: Mrs. Clyde Moore

SEPTEMBER 20, 1955

Subject: Future Plans for Club  
Speaker: Any Member  
Program: Discuss Plans and Make  
Name Cards for the  
District Meeting to be  
held in Eagle Point.

Hostess: Mrs. Clay Conley  
Co-Hostess: Mrs. Leatherman

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OCTOBER 18, 1955

Subject: "Love of Garden Club  
Work and Membership"  
Speaker: Mrs. Nichol  
Short: Report on District  
Meeting--Mrs. Dalton  
Hostess: Mrs. Mattie Carson

"Friendship is the rarest and sweetest flower that grows in the garden of life: its soil is the human heart; it is planted by honest thought, nurtured by tears of sympathy, and kept alive by good wishes."

NOVEMBER 16, 1955

An All-Day Meeting to make  
dried arrangements and candles  
for the Christmas show and sale.

No-Hostess Luncheon.

IT'S UP TO YOU

Life itself can't give you joy;  
Unless you really will it;  
Life just gives you time and  
space--  
It's up to you to fill it!

...Unknown

DECEMBER 20, 1955

Subject: Gift Wrapping  
Speaker: Mrs. Clyde Moore  
            Mrs. Don Smith  
Program: Christmas Tree and Gift  
            Exchange  
Hostess: Mrs. Fred Kincaid

Dolls and sweets and soldiers bold  
Empty stockings soon will hold.  
Christmas, Christmas in the air;  
Eyes are shining everywhere.  
Mother smiles and hides away  
Bundles, boxes, all the day;  
Every store with toys is gay--  
'Ray for Christmas time! Hurray!

JANUARY 17, 1956

Program: Frame Pictures

Hostess: Mrs. Wm. Edmondson

Co-Hostess: Mrs. Jim Arnold

When you look at the world in a  
narrow way, how narrow it seems!

When you look at it in a mean way,  
how mean it appears!

When you look at it selfishly,  
how selfish it is!

But when you look at it in a  
broad, generous, friendly spirit  
What wonderful people you find  
in it!

--Horace Rutledge

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FEBRUARY 21, 1956

Subject: Washington, the Gardener  
Speaker: Mr. Britt Ash  
Program: Annual Banquet, 6:30 p.m.  
Banquet Chairman:  
Mrs. E. Leatherman

MARCH 20, 1956

Subject: Horticulture  
Program: Slides  
Hostess: Mrs. Elga Abbott

## MY SON'S GARDEN

I had a little pumpkin seed,  
I put it in the ground.  
The rain came down so hard last  
night

I thought my seed had drowned!

I didn't need to worry tho--  
It's fine as it can be.  
I know; I went outside just now  
And dug it up to see!

## THE WEED

I'm an unwanted weed;  
I'm neglected, despised.  
Do you wonder I stand here and  
weep?

I know that the gardener will  
soon pull me up  
And throw me away on the heap.

But all growing things were  
created by God,  
And are equally dear in His sight;  
So, though I'm the humblest and  
meanest of plants,  
I try and reach up to the light.

--English Version  
By June Heard

APRIL 17, 1956

Subject: Conservation  
Speaker: Mrs. Carson  
Hostess: Mrs. Stoddard  
Program: Table Arrangements

MAY 15, 1956

Subject: Perennials  
Speaker: Mrs. Nichol  
Hostess: Mrs. Conard  
Program: Election of Officers  
Plant Sale

JUNE 21, 1956

Subject: Birds

Speaker: Mrs. Stoddard

Hostess: Mrs. Leatherman

### Installation of Officers

#### Auguries of Innocence

To see the world in a grain of  
sand,  
And a heaven in a wild flower;  
Hold infinity in the palm of  
your hand,  
And eternity in an hour.

--William Blake

## MEMBERSHIP

Mrs. Elga Abbott  
Mrs. James Arnold  
Mrs. Mattie Carson  
Mrs. Ralph Comard  
Mrs. Harry Dalton  
Mrs. Wm. Edmondson  
Mrs. Fred Kincaid  
Mrs. John Fuiten  
Mrs. Elmer Leatherman  
Mrs. Ben Moore  
Mrs. Clyde Moore  
Mrs. N. B. Stoddard  
Mrs. Ernest Smith

## CHARTER MEMBERS

Mrs. James Arnold  
Mrs. Elga Abbott  
Mrs. Frank Carson  
Mrs. W. A. Hartlerode  
Mrs. John Holst  
Mrs. Clyde Moore  
Mrs. Robert Beeman  
Mrs. Clay Conley  
Mrs. Viola Holm  
Mrs. Fred Kincaid  
Mrs. Keith Scott  
Mrs. N. B. Stoddard

